

Matters about Home.

LOOK OUT FOR THE NEW ORIGINAL STORY!

Written by a Lady of Highland County!
Our paper for January 7, 1858, will contain the commencement of the NEW ORIGINAL STORY, written expressly for our columns, by a lady of this county, whose former literary productions have made her favorably known to the public. It will probably occupy a portion of our space for several months, and will alone be well worth the price of a year's subscription.

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Carrier's Address.

The CARRIER will wait upon his patrons and friends to-morrow with a Double Address. One of the Addresses was written by a veteran poet of Hillsborough, and the other by the CARRIER. He requests his patrons and friends not to dispense of all their extra DIMES and QUARTERS until he comes round with his Address.

Selling at Cost.

Mr. SAMUEL SHACKLETON, of Danville, says he intends selling his large and fine stock of Goods, during the next thirty days, at cost, in order to make room for his Spring purchases. Mr. S. is a gentleman and a clever fellow, and we advise our readers who trade in Danville, to give him a call, and see if he will not do as he says.

Hillsboro Lyceum.

We did not hear the Lecture of Rev. Mr. CURRIE, on Friday evening last, but understand it was worthy of his high reputation as a scholar and speaker.

The attendance was large, as usual.

The Lecture on Friday evening next will be delivered by C. SHARP, Esq.—Subject: "Tolerance."

SEIZURE OF A CINCINNATI MERCHANT.

—Harding Johnson, a well-known extensive shipping and commission merchant, doing business at the corner of Vine and Front streets, Cincinnati, committed suicide on Monday afternoon, by jumping from a ferry boat while crossing the Ohio river. Mr. Johnson was driven to this act of self-destruction by pecuniary embarrassments and the importunity of creditors. He is said to have been a kind and affectionate husband and father, and a most exemplary man.

Iranistan Burned.

BRIDGEPORT, Ct., Dec. 18.
Iranistan, the country seat of P. T. Barnum, in this city, was discovered to be on fire last night, and was burned to the ground. Mr. Barnum had just begun to refresh his house. The amount of loss has not been ascertained. The fire was understood to be the work of an incendiary.

The President has nominated the Hon. Nathan Clifford, of Maine, as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Judge Curtis. The Senate has not yet acted on the nomination.

James L. Orr, the newly elected Speaker, is now in the prime of life, and in the full maturity of mental vigor. He will be thirty-five years old next May, having been born on the 12th of May, 1822, at Craycroftville, in Anderson district, South Carolina.

Strangle the Mutineers.

The New York Herald, which assumes to speak as the special organ of Mr. Buchanan, in its issue of Tuesday, after citing the rebellion of Barr and Calhoun against their party, as memorable instances of mutiny, says:

The suggestive examples of Barr and Calhoun indicate to Mr. Buchanan his mode of treatment in regard to the latter day mutiny of Walker and Douglas. It must be grappled with a firm and resolute hand, and it will be strangled. We say glad, too, that Mr. Buchanan has shown that he possesses a good deal of the self-possession of Jefferson, and something of the indomitable resolution and fixedness of purpose which were the crowning qualities of Old Hickory.

This Kansas rupture has gone too far, we apprehend, for half-way accommodations on either side. One party or the other must go to the wall—the President or Mr. Douglas.

Temperance.

The means to be used to correct public sentiment upon the subject of Temperance, are as various as the features and moods of the community upon which they operate.

Some only need a kind look and word, and they are won over to the side of right. There are others (and the number of these half-civilized persons are increasing) that nothing will do, but to let them know, in so many words, that they are bound to comply. Others, by far the greater number, want light and information upon the subject. This, your own good judgment will teach you how to impart.

For the intemperate, we should be untiring and unceasing in our efforts to reclaim them; the reading of a "paper" or "trout" has been the means of a reformation—these we can give them; talk to them on the subject; as you would in a business transaction, that is worth to them hundreds of dollars.

One of our Ministers, speaking of the inefficiency of the Temperance Law, said that he feared it remained for another generation to legislate properly upon this subject. If this is so, the noble Philanthropist—a work of immense magnitude looms up, a generation of voters and legislators to be trained by your hands and instructed by your counsel. Shall they have it? do you feel your responsibility, and the obligation that rests upon you, to be right in principle and practice, that the next may be a generation of reformers, not only upon the subject of intemperance, but all other injurious excesses?

Foreign News.

By the steamer Persia, which arrived at New York on Friday, we have Liverpool dates to the 12th inst.

Breadstuffs had slightly advanced in the Liverpool market. Cotton further declined 1d.

The news from India is to the 17th November from Bombay; from Calcutta to Sept. 11.

Gen. Havelock was still hemmed in at Lucknow. Sir Colin Campbell was marching to his relief, and would be there in a few days with ten thousand troops.

Lucknow still held out, although no communication had been had with the besieged.

Heavy fighting and immense slaughter is said to have taken place.

Troops were pouring into India at the rate of 2,000 a week.

The English forces in China were to attack Canton between the 15th and 20th of December.

Business matters in England were improving.

The monster steamer Great Eastern had not yet been launched.

BUCHANAN'S "DOMESTIC RELATION."

—Great allowances ought unquestionably to be made for the ignorance of a man, who, at the age of seventy, or thereabouts, has never been a father or a husband, but when Mr. Buchanan takes upon himself to assert in a magazine to Congress that slavery is the only domestic relation about which the people of a new State ought to be consulted, it is high time that position should be taken against electing old bachelors to the Presidency. [N. Y. Post.

Senator Broderick with Douglas.

Hon. DAVID C. BRODERICK, Senator from California, has lately defined his position on the Lecompton Constitution, repudiating the Administration policy, and following the lead of DOUGLASS. He is a Democrat, and worked hard to elect the President, whose course in regard to Kansas he now unsparringly denounces.

Later from Mexico.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 28.
The Placemine is in receipt of intelligence from Vera Cruz to the 21st, and corresponding dates from other portions of the Republic.

The Constitution of the country has been overthrown, the Federal Congress and the Supreme Court broken up and dispersed, and Comandante declared absolute Dictator, with power to call an extraordinary Congress.

The whole Capital was in arms, and other municipalities, including Vera Cruz, had given in their adhesion to the new order of things.

Mr. Horace Greely delivered a very refreshing lecture at Clinton Hall, New York, on poets and poetry. The lecturer reviewed the whole field from Job to Elizabeth Barrett Browning, and treated many generally held sacred, with great freedom and with his miter off. Homer he confessed a bore; Shakespeare was a toady and a toady; Pope an easy verse writer; but Milton, Burns, Mrs. Hemans, Tennyson, and the Brownings, shone up as his favorites. The house was full and the original style of criticism finely enjoyed.

Long John Wentworth says, in the Chicago Democrat of Saturday: "When the repeal of the Missouri Compromise was agitating the House of Representatives, and the proprietor of this paper was doing his part to defeat it, one night about 12 o'clock, Judge Douglas came over from the Senate directly to his seat, and with a great deal of warmth, said: 'You had better join the Whigs and Abolitionists at once, than be thus opposing the Administration.'"

"We think Judge Douglas should remember the advice he gave us. He had better join the Black Republicans at once, than be thus opposing the Administration."

The Scioto river it seems is fast washing away the city of Portsmouth. The Tribune says it has worked off several acres of bottom land, to the steep bank, and worked that down to Fifth street; taken all of Fifth street between Jefferson street and the city limits on the west; and is now cutting across to the western end of Fourth street. Six blocks, containing twelve city lots, that originally fronted on Fifth street, are now washed in; the river, which is taking them off at the rate of a foot per day.

It is a common thing to see a dozen yards drop off at once. In fact the most of two blocks is already gone; and at the north corner of Fourth and Madison streets the river is but a few feet from Fourth street.

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The law enforces a penalty of 5 per cent. on all taxes not paid before December 31st. In view of the financial troubles of the country, I am exceedingly unwilling to add to the burthen of the tax-payers by exacting this penalty, and therefore give notice at this time to all persons charged with the payment of taxes to pay before this penalty accrues. I am bound by law to discharge my duty and therefore notify the tax-payers to do so.

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